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WEATHER REPORT
Fair and Colder tonight and Saturday; frost tonight; moderate west winds.
High tide 7:17 a. m. and 7:33 p. m.
Sun rose 6:02. Sun sets 5:33.

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FAIRFAXANS MAKE PROTEST

Want Martha Washington Will Replaced in the Courthouse

SUPERVISORS MEET

Resolutions Adpoted Requesting Governor Stuart to Deliver Instrument to Clerk of Court.

J. P. Morgan's suggestion that the will of Martha Washington be placed at Mount Vernon has brought forth a storm of protests from Fairfax county.

One of the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly authorizing the Governor to negotiate for the return of the will, or, failing in that, to bring suit, is referred to. It provides:

"Upon the recovery of the possession of the said document, it shall be delivered to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Virginia, for deposit and safe-keeping among the archives of Fairfax county."

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors, held at Fairfax Courthouse this week, the following preambles and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, The Board of Supervisors of Fairfax county, finding that repeated efforts to recover from Mr. J. P. Morgan, of New York, the will of Martha Washington (ascertained and acknowledged to be in his possession) which will was illegally and wrongfully abstracted from the records of the county of Fairfax by some Union soldier in the year 1862, were fruitless of result, and that said Morgan would not relinquish the will except upon conditions which were wholly objectionable to Fairfax county and which he had no legal or moral right to impose, and

"Whereas, The Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, authorizing the Governor to negotiate for the return of said, will and to bring suit, if necessary, for its recovery, provided that 'upon the recovery of the possession of the said document it shall be delivered to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Virginia, for deposit and safe keeping among the archives of Fairfax county,' and

"Whereas, The will has been delivered into the hands of the Governor, be it therefore

"Resolved, 1st, That this Board, on behalf of the county of Fairfax, hereby requests Governor Stuart to deliver the said will into the hands of Mr. F. W. Richardson, the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, as provided by the Act hereinbefore referred to, and

"Resolved, 2d, That Mr. F. W. Richardson, Clerk of the Circuit Court as aforesaid, do forthwith furnish Governor Stuart with a certified copy of these preambles and resolutions, in order that the object of the proceedings against Mr. Morgan may be immediately achieved and further litigation rendered unnecessary."

The Fairfax Herald in commenting upon the final disposition of the will says:

"We believe Governor Stuart will comply with the law under which he has acted, and will not hold the will for any other purpose at the request or behest of Mr. Morgan. If the county is to be despoiled of its property, it would be better to return the will to Mr. Morgan and let alien hands, rather those of a Virginian, divert the document from its rightful place.

"The Clerk's office of Fairfax county contains a great many documents of priceless worth from a sentimental standpoint, including the will of Gen. Washington. Are these documents, or any one of them, to be wrested from the county at the behest of John P. Morgan? God forbid that the hand of a Virginian should be persuaded to perform an unlawful act which the hand of a conscienceless alien dare not perpetrate."

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual stockholders meeting of the Alexandria Water Company will be held, Monday, November 1st, at 10 a. m. o'clock, at the office of the company.

GEORGE UHLER,
Secretary.

THE NEXT FRYE NOTE

Lansing's Communication to Germany Will Raise New Question

Washington, Oct. 8—Secretary Lansing has completed and will forward to Berlin this week another ncte to Germany regarding the settlement of the case of the American ship William P. Frye, which was sunk by the German raider, Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

The new note acknowledges Germany's acceptance of the American proposal that the treaty of 1828 be submitted to arbitration for an interpretation on whether or not it permits the destruction of American vessels carrying contraband, and also agrees to the proposal for the naming of the commission of two experts to fix the damages in the case.

It is understood, however, that the American government, while taking into account Germany's assurances that ships carrying conditional contraband will not be destroyed under any circumstances, asks also for assurance tha it it found necessary to destroy American ships carrying absolute contraband, there shall be ample warning given and passengers and crew removed to a place of safety. It is considered likely that the correspondence will open up in this connection a new point as to whether the transfer of passengers and crew of an American vessel to small boats in the open sea contitutes "a place of safety" within the meaning of international law. In the case of the Frye, the commander of the Eitel Friedrich took the passengers aboard his own vessel and did not thereafter engage in any operations with the enemy which might have endangered the lives of Americans aboard.

When the American ship Leelanaw was sunk by a German submarine because she carried a cargo of absolute contraband, the crew was taken aboard the submarine itself and reported having been well treated.

LOCAL BREVITIES

St. Mary's Catholic choir of this city will soon have a male choir to take the place of the present female choir. The change is being made by direction of the Rev. Louis Smet, the new pastor of the church.

The fire department was called out this morning to a blaze at the residence of Mrs. Wattles, cornor of Prince and Alfred street caused by an overheated stove.

Charles B. Gray, 63 years old, a merchant, died this morning at his home, 500 South Pitt street., He is survived by his wife and several children.

Augustus Green, 48 years old, an employee of the Mutual Ice Co., died this morning at his home, 619 south Patrick street. A wife and several children survive.

An important meeting of Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, Scottish Rite Masons, will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Temple

The Hunting Creek road which was temporarily opened yesterday and today will be closed tomorrow morning after 6 o'clock.

The condition of James L. Bailey, who was injured by a fall from a box car of the Southern Railway is somewhat improved.

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FIRST WORLD'S SERIES GAME

National Baseball Commission Decides to Start Game at 2 P. M.

BETTING ABOUT EVEN

Reports That Sums Ranging From $4,000 to $5,000 Have Been Staked on the Result.

Philadelphit, October 8— The Philadelphia National League Team today defeated the Boston Club in the first game of the World Series by the score of 3 to 1.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8— Shortly before 11 o'clock the National Baseball Commission, after receiving reports from the umpires at the grounds, ruled that the first world's series game will be played today, starting at 2 o'clock.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8—A cold and gloomy day chased a dreary, drizzly night out of Philadelphia. All night long a fine drizzle, whipped by fitful gusts of wind, galloped up and down the streets, driving every one but the speculators into hotels.

It appeared certain, however, that the Red Sox and Phillies would clash as per schedule, barring unexpected upsets. Club officials were on the grounds at daybreak looking over the field and squinting at the skies. After giving everything the up and down, including a shivering line of some 1,500 dyed-in-the wool fans, who stood before the ticket window, it was anounced that a game would, in all probability, be played. Officials privately expressed the opinion that a couple of barrels of gasolene scattered promiscuously over the field with a match applied would dry off the diamond sufficiently.

Betting was practically at even money. Occasionally some feverish partisan would offer five to four on the Red Sox to cop, but just as often it would be the other way round.

The papers reported heavy betting, but it wasn't visible to the nude eye. There were reports, that bets of $5.000 to $4,000 had been made on the Bostonese to win, but they neglected to say who the bettors were. Dozens of bets of $1,100 to $1,000 with Carrigan's crew the favorite were reported but unverified.

About 150 persons, mostly youths, stood before the ticket window at the ball park all night, through the drizzle, for the opening at 11 o'clock, At 6 a. m. there were probably 500 shivering in the lines, and by 8 o'clock the number had grown to 1,500. Heading the string were about twenty-five youths, who frankly admitted they didn't expect to see the game—they wanted to sell their places.

Elaborate preparations are being made to receive President Wilson and his fiancee, who will view tomorrow's game providing the weather man is in a conciliatory mood.

NEW KIND OF GAS

Now Alleged to Be Used By Germans in the Champagne.

Paris, Oct. 8—A new kind of gas apparently is being used by the Germans in the fighting in the Champagne. Details regarding its effects, were given Dr. Lucien Dumont, by sufferers he was called to attend in Paris hospitals. According to the written statements of three men who fough respectively at Louvain, Suippes and Moranvillers, they were surrounded for a few seconds by clouds of deep green gas of a rather pleasant odor. These men asserted that soldiers who wore no masks soon were suffocated, while those with masks lost consciousness for varying periods.

Upon regaining consciousness at field dressing stations they said they suffered convulsive seizures resembling epileptic fits. Upon their arrival at the Paris hospital they were found to have an extremely weak pulse and to be suffering from general prostration, but showed none of the symptoms hitherto associated with gas poison. It is believed here that prussic acid is used as the basis of the new gas.

MASS MEETING IN RICHMOND

Police Board's Action in Detective Krengel's Case Meets Sharp Condemnation from Speakers

Richmond, Oct. 8—Bishop Collins Denny, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, south, shouted, "It is sunrise in Richmond to-day," exultingly to 1,500 men and women gathered last night in the auditorium of John Marshall High School in response to a call for a mass-meeting to protest against recent instances of alleged misgovernment in the Board of Police Commissioners.

The Bishop and other speakers were bitter in the denunciation of Police Commissioners Weil and Goode. All of them averred that at the bottom of the recently uncovered shame of the Police Department lay the apathy of a citizenship that permitted such men as those under fire to hold office.

Attorney-General John Garland Pollard also spoke and later the meeting, without a dissenting voice, adopted a set of resolutions submitted by a committee of which T. M. Carrington was chairman:

Calling upon the City Council to demand the resignation of Commissioner Cliff Weil and, if such resignation is not forthcoming, to take such legal steps as may be necessary to effect his immediate removal.

Demanding that the successors of Commissioners Boykin and Weil shall be men whose personal lives are above reproach.

Condemning the contempt for public opinion and the disregard for justice and fair play displayed by a voting majority of the Police Board at the meeting of September 30, at which Sergeant Krengel was dropped and Sergeant Shomaker demoted

Urging upon the voters of the city the necessity for participating in the affairs of government, in order that the disgraces of recent memory may not be repeated.

Directing the chairman of the meeting to appoint a committee of five to take the necessary steps to enforce the views expressed in the resolutions

Police Commissioner R. N. Goode, yesterday tendered his resignation to the Council as a member of the police board to take effect at once.

In letter addressed to the Council Commissioner Goode stated that public sentiment has been aroused as to him to such an extent that he feared that his friends were becoming the subject of criticism on his account and gives this as a reason for his resignation.

He further states that it was never his intention to disregard the wishes of the Council and would have yielded to their request but for the criticism of himself.

STRIKERS' RANKS BREAK

Storm in Meeting When Hot-Heads Urge Violence

Millville. N. J., Oct. 7—Angry and discouraged by the report that 250 of the employees of the bleach and dye works of the Millville Manufacturing Company returned yesterday morning, the strike was practically declared broken at a meeting of the strikers in the Levoy Theatre, which ended with accusations, threats and the resignation of some of the officers President Modell charged some of the strikers with failing to support the workers' committee in their demands for a 20 per cent. increase in wages and refused to entertain a motion of others who insisted on taking steps of violence.

During the high pitch of the discussion one of the excited strikers rushed up the aisle and with clenched first demanded that his motion to go to the works in a body and "pull them out" be enterttained.

"I can't put the motion, for it will no doubt carry and I will quit if violence is to be used", President Modell nervously cried out. "So long as you are peaceable I will remain with you."

George McDowell, another committeeman, exclaimed: "It isn't wise to beat them up". When the dye shop workers stated that unless some final action was taken yesterday they would return today caused great excitement and the meeting broke up with the cotton mill workers accusing the bleachery men. The dye workers held the key to the situation and the entire plant depended upon this department. The spinners of thecotton mill who went out on a sympathy strike, are now united in their demand and will remain out until they are granted the increase of 20 per cent. They claim that the mill cannot operate without them and that they are strongly organized.

TEUTONS CROSS SERBIAN BORDER

Long-threatened offensive in Balkans Begun With 4,000,000

ANGLO-FRENCH ARMY

Alles Move Northward—Bulgaria Definitely With Central Powers—Battle Imminent.

London, Oct. 8—The long threatened Austro-German offensive in the Balkans with the added menace of Bulgaria, has begun in earnest.

Almost simultaneously with the rupture of diplomatic relations between Sofia and the Entente Powers, an Austro-German Army, estimated at 400,000 men, with an enormous weight of heavy artillery, started to attack Serbia from the north and west, and, according to the Berlin official report, crossed the Drina, Danube and Save rivers at many points and firmly established itself on the Serbian side.

The Anglo-French troops, which were landed at Saloniki, with the tacit consent of the Greek Government, are being hurried northward to assist Serbia and, if possible, keep the Bulgarians from capturing the Salniki-Nish Railroad, the only source by which the Serbians can be fed with munitions of war.

The hoped-for support from Greece has not been forthcoming, King Constantine, by the dismissal of Premier Venizelos, having shown that, while his country sympathizes with the causes of the Allies, he is not prepared to go against the Central Powers or to fulfill the obligations of the Graeco-Serbian treaty of alliance, which provides that one ally must go to the assistance of the other in case of attack.

Roumania, the other Balkan state, is still neutral. Roumania has not been heard from, but, like Greece, for the moment is bent on continuing friendly relations with all the belligerents. Doubtless to influence her and the other Balkans states, Russia is reported to have commenced an energetic offensive in Bukowina and to have attacked the Austrian positions north east of Czernowitz.

At the other end of the eastern front the German offensive against Dvinsk is at last making some headway. The German official communication says that Field Marshal von Hindenburg has penetrated the Russian lines over a front of about three miles Throughout the centre the Russians are still on the offensive.

Amsterdam, Oct. 8—According to the Cologne Gazette, two Russian cruisers have appeared before the Bulgarian port of Varna on the Black Sea and are bombarding the defenses.

MOHAMMEDAN MUTINY

Germans Say They Opposed France Which Makes Them Fight.

Berlin, Oct. 8—"Reports from the western front state that Moroccan soldiers captured by the Germans consider themselves guests of Germany, and not prisoners," says the Overseas News Agency. 'They are opposed to France, which compels them to fight against their religious convictions.

"Mutinies broke out among the French Mohammedan troops as soon as the proclamation of the Holy War was known. The mutinies were suppressed by the French, heavy losses being inflicted. All the Mohammedans swore that they would not fire another shot when they learned that the German Emperor was the ally of the leader of the Monammedans. The captured Moroccans asked permission to enter the German army. When informed that this was impossible, on account of international law, they expressed the hope that they would be sent to Turkey to fight against France and England.

BENEVOLENT NEUTRALITY

Greek Government Decides to Declare Nation's Attitude

Athens. Oct. 8—The Greek government decided today to declare the Greek attitude one of benevolent neutralty toward the allies.

RUSSIA AND BULGARIA.

Reply to Quadruple Entente was General Mobilization.

Petrograd, Oct. 8— The following disclosure of Russian policy in the near east during the present war shows that as far back as July, 1914, it was indicated to Bulgaria that she would obtain substantial advantages by supporting the Russian policy, which aimed at the restoration of the Balkan league by reconciliation. At the same time she was warned that acts of hostility against Serbia would be regarded as directed against Russia.

Russia also suggested to Serbia that concessions by her would be necessary if the policy of reconciliation was to be made successful.

On August 29, 1914, the triple entente urged upon the Serbian government that it should surrender territory to Bulgaria. Bulgaria replied that she preferred to maintain strict neutrality.

Toward the beginning of December Bulgaria was warned by the triple entente that they would guarantee Serbia and Greece against any attack on her part. Simultaneously Bulgaria was informed that for "real neutrality" she would receive at the end of the war territorial ameliorations in Macedonia and else where down to the Enos-Midia line.

After the intervention of Italy, the four allies on May 29 made to Bulgaria, conditioned on her active support with all her forces, the following proposals:

1. Immediate annexation to Bulgaria of Thrace to the Enos-Midi line.

2. Guarantee to Bulgaria at the close of the war of part of Macedonia, including the towns of Egri, Pelanka, Kepriylia, Okhrida, and Monastir.

3. Pecuniary assistance.

On August 4 the allies guaranteed here an uncontested zone according to the 1912 treaty and undertook that only in the event of Serbia's agreement to this concession should the latter receive territorial enlargement after the war.

On September 1, 1915, the government at Nish intimated its acquiescence to the proposal fulfillment of the 1912 agreement, and on the 14th quadruple entente made the following declaration to Radoslavoff.

"The four states are prepared to guarantee Bulgaria concession by Serbia, immediately after the conclusion of the war, of portions of Macedonia down to the 1912 line.

"This guarantee is conditional on he p mise of [illegible] prepared in the near future to conclude with the allied states a militry convention with respect to her action against Turkey, If a declaration in this sense is not received soon the proposals made in the present note will be regarded as not having been made."

Bulgaria's only reply was to order a general mobilization.

BANDITS ROB TRAIN

Escape With One Million Dollars in Unsigned Paper Money

Parkersburg, W. Va., Oct. 8—Two masked bandits early today held up a west-bound train of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Central, W. Va., fifty miles east of here.

They uncoupled the mail car and engine, forced the engineer to take them to Toll Gate, six miles further west, rifled the mail car and are reported to have escaped with one million dollars in unsigned paper money and three hundred dollars in cash.

Immediately upon report of the robbery a posse was formed and started in pursuit of the bandits.

FRANCE IS SYMPATHETIC

government, through Foreign Minister Delcasse, authorizes the French consul general here to contribute $500 relief of storm sufferers in Lousiana. The cable authorizing the subscription contained the following message.

"Please convey to the people of Lousiana the sympathies of the Republic of France and assure them that it is our wish to aid them in this time of distress."

DEATH NOTICE

MARTHA A. JASPER, of Franconia, Fairfax Co., Va., one of the best known colored women in that section, died October 6, at 7:40 p. m., at the age of 87 years. She leaves a family of one daughter, 5 sons and several grand-children to mourn her loss. Funeral this afternoon at 2:00 p. m. from her residence. 8-1t.

GERMANS FAIL TO RECOVER GROUND

Kaiser Changes Attack and Presses Against Advanced Line

FACE TERRIFIC FIRE

Great Duel Now in Progress From The North Sea to Switzerland—Next Attack Uncertain.

London, Oct. 8—Determined efforts of the Germans to recover their lost ground on Tahure Hill, in Champagne and before Souchez, in Artois, failed yesterday. The German losses were heavy.

Following the repulse of repeated counter attacks, preceded by heavy artillery bombardment, against the fortified knoll of Tahure, the Germans changed the direction of their attack and pressed strongly against the advanced French line positions to the west of Navarin Farm. But the German attacks broke down in the face of the terrific fire from the French machine guns.

Fighting has become general from the sea to Switzerland, but it is more in the character of a great duel, While it is generally conceded that the great offensive of the Allies has not yet reached its height there is nothing to indicate at what point the next attack will center.

The western front measures 525 miles, and it would be beyond human power to force back the whole German line by means of a general advance, nor has any idea of such a operation been entertained by General Joffre, His plan is simply to disorganize the enemy's defensive line and lead finally to the strategical piercing thereof.

For these operations the allied line has been enormously strengthened in both men and material. Many batteries of new types of heavy artillery have been brought into play and a reserve of many millions of shells accumulated. Behind the lines armies have been prepared for the attack by steady drilling.

NOTICE

The public is notified that the local board of review has this day determined not to consider at this time questions of omitted taxation covering license and intangible assessments for years prior to 1915, but said board will only consider present 915 assessments.

The Examiner of Records for the district has been required, and he has greed, to present his current or 1915 assessment reports to the board on Friday, October 15, 1915, at 10 a. m., and any persons feeling themselves affected or desiring information has until close of business on Monday, October 18, 1915 to get from Mr. Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk, their individual assessment, and if they object thereto they are required to file grounds of objection in writing with he board or clerk by close of business on said October 18, 1915.

The board will begin determination of such current or 1915 tax matters on October 19, 1915, and conclude same as rapidly as possible.

This is the only opportunity on account of press of time and the duty owed to local commissioner of revenue and treasuer that protest may be filed. A speedy determination is necessary because of the necessity of collection of the public revenue.

Given under our hand this 8th day of October, 1915.

Robinson Moncure, Chairman
E. E. Lawler
C. S. Ballenger,
Local Board of Review of Alexandria, Va.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Our electric light plant will be shut down on Sunday, October 10th from 9 a. m. until noon. This is necessary on account of changes in switchboard, required by new turbine being installed.

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MASONIC VISITATION

Alexandria-Washington Lodge Guests Of Andrew Jackson Lodge Last Night

The annual visitation of Alexandria Washington lodge of Masons to Andrew Jackson Lodge took place last night, and at the same time M. E. Church, of Falls Church, district deputy grand master, paid an official visit to the latter lodge.

The master mason's degree was conferred by the officers of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, the chairs being filled as follows:

Charles E. Tennesson, worshipful master.
C. Page Waller, senior warden.
William H. Charles, junior warden.
C. W. Fletcher, senior deacon.
W. B. Davis, junior deacon.
Robert A. Zachary and P. E. Clift, stewards.

At the concluson of the regular meeting the visitors were entertained at a banquet served in the chapter room. At the banquet speeches were made by M. E. Church, the Rev. Jno. Lee Allison, Henry K. Field and Charles E. Tennesson.

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ALEXANDRIA ENTERPRISE WIN

Big Score Board Reaches Here in Time for Game.

Anticipating a World Series Ball Game today and knowing that all Alexandria is on the que ve for news of the big series, Manager Smith and Siegel of the Opera House were absolutely dismayed yesterday evening to get a long distance phone message from Baltimore that the big electric scoreboard had not been shipped for the reason that it was too large to get in any of the express cars and that none of the railroads would contract to get it here or even in Washington in time for the series.

It looked as if the game was up as even the Electric Road or Boat could not handle it but when all hope was abandoned they got Mr. Webster to take a train to Baltimore and after several hours hard work, he found a man with a two ton auto truck that was not afraid to haul the heavy board over in the rain. It took seven hours to get the board over and cost the management a pretty penny, but it is here and ready for today's game, if one is played.

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LATE C. H. LUNDGREN

Funeral services for Charles H. Lundgren, 55 years old, who died Wednesday in Richmond, were held this afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, J. B. Starnell, 1116 Prince street, and were conducted by the Rev. W. F. Watson, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church.

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POLICE COURT

(Justice L. H. Thompson presiding)

There were two cases before the Police Court this morning.

Richard Swain had been arrested for drunknness. He was sent to jail for ten days.

W. H. Mount and Wylens Kekowski had been arrested for disorderly conduct. Blount failed to appear and forfeited his collateral. Kekowski was dismissed.

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NOTICE A. A. S. R.

Members of Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, Scottish Rite, will meet tonight in Masonic Temple at 7:30 o'clock. Important business.
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BOARD OF TAX REVIEW

Examiner Lipscomb Given Until October 15, to File his Report

October 15th. was fixed this morning by the local board of tax review as the last, date upon which W. N. Lipscomb, examiner of records of the sixteenth judicial circuit, can file his report on tax returns for 1915, and the public will have until October 18 to file their objection to Mr. Lipscomb's returns.

At this morning's session of the board which was held in the corporation court room announcement was made that the board had definitely decided to refrain from considering omitted tax returns for years prior to 1915. Examiner Lipscomb stated that he was ready to present returns of omitted taxes but upon the board's announcement stated he would withdraw his report of such omissions.

The following reasons were given by the board for their action:

"That we believe the public interest requires the immediate consideration of 1915 tax matters, and taking up anything prior to that would not give sufficient time to take up 1915 matters.

"There does not seem to be a definate policy. While the law permits going back to 1876, the board thinks such matters should be continued so as to allow the determination of a definate policy general throughout the state so that the legislature could pass upon the same.

"Where taxes have been assessed and paid no board should set them aside.

"That in merely continuing or refusing at this time to take up omitted taxation this board is not, so far as it is concerned, determining the rights of any party to this proceedings and therefore leaves them their full rights to be determined at a future date when the matters are thoroughly understood by the public and some definite rule is made."

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WILSON APPEALED TO CZAR

Bishop o Lemberg Released Upon His Representations.

The story of how the Bishop of Lemberg, captured by the Russians last fall when they took the Galician city of that name, was freed from imprisonment, came to light yesterday. According to this story, which is vouched for on good authority, though official confirmation is not given, President Wilson made a personal appeal to the Czar of Russia, and it was his message which secured the release of the bishop.

When the bishop was made prisoner by the Russians last fall, there was a great protest from Catholics generally, and an appeal was made to the State Department that this government take action looking to bringing about his release. The State Department did not feel that it could move in the matter, as inquiry developed the fact that the bishop was being treated with due consideration.

Mgr. Russell, pastor of St. Patrick's Church here, thereupon appealed to President Wilson. As a result of his appeal, the President sent a personal message to the Czar through Ambassor Marye, and the bishop's release followed. Later the Austrians retook Lemberg.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

H. Noel Garner, a well known attorney of this city, and Miss Beulah A. Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Spencer Roberts, of Winchester, Va. were quietly married in Washington yesterday afternoon by the Rev. Henry Brundage, of the Presbyterian Church. The bride was becomingly attired in a dark blue traveling suit with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Garner left immediately for the south and will be at home after November 20th. at 308 North Columbus street.

At the last meeting of Mt. Vernon Chapter, No. 14, Royal Arch Masons, C. Page Waller, jr., retiring high priest, was presented with a handsome high priest jewel.

Mrs. L. A. Walters, and little son, Linwood, Jr., have returned to their home in this city from Asheville, N. C. where they spent the past six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Burke returned today from a trip to Jamaica. They have been absent for the past three weeks.

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GERMANS EAT SUNFLOWER

Ready With New Kind of Economy In Food Lines.

Berlin, Oct. 8—The war as a teacher of economy is scoring new results from time to time, even among a people already so economical as the Germans. The common sunflower is now extensively grown, almost everywhere, for its various food adaptabilities. In previous years the only practical value of the plant was in feeding the seeds to birds; but this year the seeds are used to make an oil which is pronounced equal to the best olive oil, for cooking purposes.

The oilcake left after making oil is an excellent feed for animals: whereas the seeds themselves can be roasted and used as a substitute for coffee. The young shoots and undeveloped leaves can also be cooked and eaten as a palatable substitute for spinach.

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PLEA OF NECESSITY.

During the Russo-Japanese war the Arabia, a neutral vessel, with a cargo of American products which might have been declared conditionally contraband, was seized by a Russian warship and condemned and confiscated. The captor offered no proof that the lading was destined for military uses by Russia's enemy, but claimed, and was sustained in his claims by the Prize Court at Vladivostok, that the destination of the vessel being a hostile port, and cargo being capable of being used for military purposes, the intent to so use it might be presumed. Accordingly the lading was pronounced contraband and declared forfeited. A protest from John Hay, then Secretary of State, resulted in immediate relief. Not only was the verdict annulled and ship and cargo released, but neutral commerce in all commodities not demonstrably contraband thenceforward remained unmolested by the Russians.

The Philadelphia Record in commenting on the above says:

Belligerent nations have traveled far on the path of lawlessness since then. The British Government in particular though it vociferously denounced the principle applied by the Russian Prize Court in the matter of the Arabia and similar cases, has adopted the anarchic ruling as its own. It has gone even further, and through its Prize Court has made pronouncements which under conditions of less gravity might be called grotesque. When goods are sent to a neutral country in excess of the latter's normal requirements, it is held that an ultimate hostile destination may be assumed. When a nation is organized for defense so that everybody is in some way contributing toward this end, all the people must be regarded as forming part of the military establishment; or if a possible shortage of the food supply cause the Government to husband supplies and regulate the consumption and distribution thereof, all breadstuffs and provisions destined for that country must be regarded as military supplies. Lastly, when shipments of such goods are made from a neutral country to another neutral country, the burden of proving that they are not destined for belligerent use is on the shipper.

It is on grounds so flimsy as these to say nothing of the illegality of the proceeding, that upward of $12,000,000 worth of American meat products has been confiscated by the British Government while en route from United States to Denmark, Sweden and Norway. The value of American products restrained from the export by the fear of seizure is inestimable, but probably runs up into hundreds of millions. This Government has hitherto been able to get no other response to its protests against this embargo of American commerce except the feeble excuse that necessity know no law. This plea has not been accepted as valid in our controversy with another belligerent Power, and it will not, and surely should not, be accepted as sufficient from Great Britain.

SAUNDERS ON PREPAREDNESS

"Can you tell me why, if this country considered itself safe fifteen months ago — and you did not hear any yell about preparedness then — it should consider itself so unsafe now?"

This was the answer Judge Edward Saunders, of Rocky Mount, member of Congress from the Fifth Virginia district, made to a question, as to the judge's attitude in the preparedness propanganda.

"I cannot see the reason for it all," said Judge Saunders, "and I certainly do not propose to support any measure to spend millions for preparedness if I am left free to act on my personal judgement. If a majority of the voters, in my district feel like they want to spend the earnings in indirect taxation to support a top-heavy army and navy, why I'll represent them as I was elected to do, when they assure me of their sentiments."

Judge Saunders also is of the opinion that if the White House wants preparedness Congress will provide it, but, he says, there will be a wide difference of opinion in Congress, and there will not be a voluntary stampede, in his opinion, to join the preparedness ranks.

Sixty percent of the collections by the government have for some time been spent in armaments. What was supposed to have been a German menace several months ago has been entirely dissipated by the peaceable attitude of the Kaiser. Attempts to cast the yellow peril upon the screen every now and then produces more laughter than seriousness.

CLAIMS DESCENT FROM POCAHONTAS.

A descendant of Indian royalty will be the First Lady of the Land.

Mrs. Norman Galt, who will become Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, is proud of the fact that she is a descendant, in the ninth generation, from the marriage of John Rolfe and Pocahontas, the Indian princess and the British saved Captain John Smith's life when the English colonist was to have been killed at her father's orders.

R. W. Bolling brother to Mrs. Galt confirms the family's descent from the Indianprinces s and the British colonist, Rolfe. He said the family had always taken great pride in their lineage.

Mrs. Galt, therefore, will bring to the White House, when she becomes the wife of the President, the first stain of Indian blue blood that the historic Executive Mansion has ever known.

Literally, she is an Indian princess, by descent, and can rightfully claim 'royal blood' in her veins.

Adam means red or ruddy, and archeologists have suggested that the first pair placed in the Garden of Eden were what we call Indians, or aborigines of this continent. In bygone days many persons in Virginia believed they were descended from Pocahontas. Some of those who claimed kindship to the Indian princess lived in Alexandria.

NEWS OF THE DAY

The first snow of the season fell yesterday afternoon at Cumberland, Md., The flakes were small and far between.

Mrs. Albert Lent, widow, of Frank Lent, was found dead at her home near Herndon last week, death resulting from heart disease.

Struck by the automobile of Millard Diehl, in Baltimore last evening, R. M. Bennett, 60 years old, died an hour after the accident from a fracture of the base of the skull.

It is reported from Bombay that a great fire occured on September 6 in cotton warehouses, causing a loss of $10,000,000. This was the third fire of the kind during the present season.

Reports received from Rome by Vatican officials say Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, has recovered from a severe cold, which he recently contracted, and that his health is good.

Information has reached Geneva by way of Munich from a source which is regarded as reliable that Roumania will issue a decree for general mobilization within the next 12 hours.

Harry Grant, the noted automobile driver who was seriously burned when his racing car caught fire during the trials for the Astor Cup race at the Sheepshead Bay Motordrome ten days ago, died last night at Coney Island Hospital.

It is said that twenty-three inhabitants of La Colorado, a mining town in the Hermosillo (Sonora) district were massacred by Yaqui Indians, who captured the town this week. Women and children were beaten to death, the reports assert.

It is reported that all the passengers were killed in a train wreck on the Mexican Railway between Vera Cruz and Mexico City, It is estimated that 50 persons killed and 60 injured. The accident occurred on a steep grade near Maltrata last Tuesday.

The German losses in September are placed at 300,000 in the eastern theatre of war and 100,000 in France; and the Austrian losses at 250,000 of whom 80,000 are prisoners. These estimates do not include victims of disease nor 50,000 Teutons who were drowned in the Polish marshes.

Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, and Mrs. Page wife of Congressman Page, were victims of robbers while attending the United Daughters of the Confederacy convention in Charlotte, N. C., yesterday. Mrs. Daniels lost a silver purse and valuables; Mrs. Page a diamond brooch.

The German Ministry has announced that, owing to a scarcity of copper, all chandeliers and lighting apparatus, as well as works of art, such as statues, will be taken over by the government. Lighting appliances not in daily use will be taken first, but it is stated that the government soon will have to seize all the copper in Germany.

The London Times says: "With reference to the unofficial announcement of the death of John Kipling, son of Rudyard Kipling, we understand that the facts are as follows: Kipling is wounded and missing, but when last seen was not badly wounded, and, though hope is necessarily slight in such a case of disappearance, it has not yet been entirely abandoned."

A detachment of American troops attacked some isolated bands of rebels yesterday morning who refused to lay down their arms and co-operate with Rear Admiral Caperton to establish peace throughout Haiti. The brigands were holding up the delivery of products to the markets. They were routed in the skirmish. There were no American casualties.

Four men were instantly killed, another probably fatally hurt and six seriously injured Wednesday night at the plant of the Aetna Explosive Company at Emporium, Pa., A large quantity of smokless powder, prepared for shipment to the Allies, went off from some yet undetermined cause blew the two-story drying house to atoms and shook the surrounding country for miles around.

Three hundred sturdy young Irishmen reached New York yesterday aboard the American liner New York to escape conscription. All denied that German agents had supplied them with funds to leave Ireland and said they had planned some time ago to emigrate to America and chose the present time to avoid compulsory service under the British colors.

A finding by the full bench of the Maine Supreme Court grants a new trial in the breach of promise proceedings of Miss Elizabeth Garmong, of Bangor, formerly of Des Moines, Iowa, against John B. Henderson, a wealthy resident of Washington, D. C. On January 27 Miss Garmong received a verdict of $116,000 by a jury at Bangor. The rescript yesterday sustains the plea of Henderson's counsel that the verdict was against the evidence.

The Colorado Supreme Court yesterday admitted John R. Lawson to bail in the sum of $35,000. Lawson was convicted of first-degree murder, connection with strike disorders. Lawson, an official of the United Mine Workers, was sentenced to life imprisonment on a charge of murdering John Mimmo, a deputy sheriff, killed in a riot near Ludlow in October, 1913. The Supreme Court several weeks ago granted a supesedeas and writ or error.

Dying and unconscious, but still firmly grasping the detached steering wheel of the automobile he had been driving, John W. Funk, a Baltimore chauffeur, was found late yesterday afternoon in a sitting posture on the pilot of the Pennsylvania Railroad locomotive which had struck and demolished the touring car at the Back river crossing, killing outright another man and dangerously injuring two others. The men had been on a gunning trip.

According to statistics given out in Berlin, 18 aeroplanes were shot down in battles in the air and 7 were brought to earth by antiaircraft guns on the western front last month. The losses are given as follows: German—Three in aerial battles, two shot down by anti-aircraft guns and two missing British—Four in aerial battles, one shot down and three which landed behind the German lines. French—Eleven in aerial battles, four shot down and seven landed behind the German lines.

William J. Bryan, in a statement yesterday in Atlanta, said, "that the plans I have made for the remainder of my life include active participation in politics, but do not include the holding of any office." He said he enjoyed the liberties of a private citizen. The former Secretary of State said he hoped prohibition and woman suffrage would not become issues in the next presidential campaign, but believed both those questions would have to be met in national politics, "when the time is ripe for them."

The New York Sun has the following: A passenger returning on the American liner New York, which arrived today from Liverpool, gave to a reporter an account received from an entirely trustworthy source in London of a recent stormy interview between King George and Premier Asquith at Buckingham palace. The king, it is said, declared that he would abdicate his throne rather than see the British government agree to an inconclusive peace, because "for us an inconclusive peace means defeat."

The Rt. Rev. Robert Codman bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Maine, died at a hospital in Boston yesterday. He had been unconscious since undergoing an operation several days ago. Bishop Codman was married at Bar Harbor on September 10 to Miss Margaretta Porter, of Philadelphia, and they were crusing in his yacht Calumet II on their wedding trip when he was taken ill. The prelate had been bishop of Maine since 1900. Before entering the ministry in 1894 he practiced law in Boston.

An official announcement is made that Japan has notified China that unless Japan's demands regarding jurisdiction over Koreans residing in Chentao, in the Kirin region of Manchuria, are accepted Japan will pursue her own course in supporting her claim, by military force if necessary. The Japanese claims, it is stated, are based on the May, 1915 agreement between China and Japan. China maintains that Chentao, is not mentioned in this agreement, and that the previous agreement holds good.

The parents of Miss Mildred Reilly of Philadelphia informed her yesterday evening that at 10:30 o'clock her sweetheart, Earle Elliott, 16 years old, would have to leave. He had been staying much later. When the clock showed that it was 10:30 the boy rose and drew a pistol from his pocket, aiming at the clock and saying he would shoot it for cutting short his call. Miss Reilly seized Elliott's arm and drew it down. As she did so he pulled the trigger and the bullet entered his body near his heart. In five minutes he was dead.

A Hebrew is now the virtual ruler of Turkey. With the co-operation of Talaat Bey, minister of the interior, and the Constantinople chief of police, Enver Bey, the remarkable leader of the Young Turks and minister of war is now in complete control and his word is law. Although a thorough Turk in sympathies, he is a Hebrew by blood. Enver Bey is imbued with German militaristic ideals. He has ambitious plans, it is generally believed. He recalls that Turkey for many centuries was the foremost military and naval power in the world, and thinks the Crescent is about to take its high place again side by side with its Teutonic ally.

Two of the seven leaders of the Garment Workers' Union of New York who have been on trial charged with the murder of Herman Liebowitz in the strike of 1910 were discharged yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Tompkins at the close of the case for the defense. They were Solomon Metz and Julius Woolf. The fate of the other five defendants must be decided by the jury which will be charged today. When Metz, who is president of the United Hebrew Trades, with a membership of 240,000, stepped out of the courtroom free, there were cheers from a large crowd and he and Woolf were carried out of Center street. Women kissed the two acquitted leaders and the crowd marched triumphantly toward the headquarters of the East Side unions along Broadway.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Max W. Mercereau, 42 years old, died early yesterday at Staunton. He was a native of Binghamton, N. Y.

Major Robert Randolph Henry, 70 years old, one of the best known figures in southwest Virginia died yesterday afternoon at Tazewell Court House.

Judge W. Samuel Goodwyn, 61 years old, who was stricken with paralysis Sunday, died Wednesday morning at 6:10 o'clock in his home at Emporia. Judge Goodwyn, was one of the wealthiest citizens of the state.

The Petersburg common council has referred to the finance committee a resolution to authorize an issue of bonds to the amount of $90,000, the sum to be expended in aiding in the construction of a hard surface boulevard between Petersburg and Hopewell.

Wanted by the police since December 4, 1913, charged with the murder of J. E. Marks, of Sanford, Accomac county, skipper of the oyster boat Nancy Anne Inez, in the dead of night on the lonely expanses of Chesapeake Bay, Robert Hughes, colored alias Tom Smith, has been arrested in Norfolk.

Autumnal diphtheria is claiming its seasonal toll in Virginia according to reports received within the last few days by the State board of health, but its ravages could be greatly reduced in the judgment of the board, if necessary sanitary precautions were taken in the schools of small towns and rural districts.

George A. Lowry, 33, of Clifton Forge, was arrested at Union Station last night in Washington and held for Virginia authorities, on the charge of stealing $700. John M. Chambers, of the same town, 19 years old, who accompanied LoVwry, is being held as a fugitive from his parents. Lowry is wanted in Staunton. The Staunton theft was committed yesterday; $786 were recovered from Lowry.

The Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company was the second lowest bidder on two of the six torpedo boat destroyers for the United States navy. William Cramp and Sons, Philadelphia, bid the lowest on three boats, its figures being $830,000 each for three 30 knot vessels, $17,000 to be added for Pacific coast delivery. The bid of the Newport News company was $858,500 each for two vessels to be delivered in twenty months or $868,00 for vessels of different plans.

With all the pomp of a military wedding, Miss Henrie Rixey, formerly of Washington, D. C., became the bride of Lieut. Samuel Alexander Gibson, of the Vancouver barracks last night at the home of her brother in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs J. A. B Sinclair, at Portland Oreg. Lieut. C. H. Benedict, a brother officer of the bridegroom, was best man. Father Campbell officiated. Miss Rixey is from Virginia, but for years her home has been in Washington. D. C., where she also passed the summer.

Plans for raising the fund needed for erecting a monument in honor of Pocahontas on Jamestown Island in Virginia were discussed yesterday at a meeting of the Pocahontas club in Washington. The society has raised $7,000 of the needed $10,000 to pay for the memorial. The statue is completed, and will be erected as soon as the additional $2,500 is raised. Miss Eleanor Lorraine Dorsey is president of the club. Other officers are Miss Mary L. Goddard, recording secretary, and Miss Lillian Reed corresponding secretary.

"WHO OWNS IT?"

(Communicated)

The city purchased and paid thirteen thousand and five hundred dollars for the land on Cameron and Queen streets, old western line, known no was the High School lot, In the Gazette's issue of Monday last, Oct., 4th, a local states; "The Alexandria High School football team will play Western High School tomorrow at four o'clock at the new high school building lot. Admission 25 cents." If I can secure a patriotic second, I will move, "that the High School football team kindly inform us what portion of the lot we can use without paying an admission fee, and what portion, if any, belongs to

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LEAPS IN FRONT OF AUTO.

Man Killed When He Tried to Avoid Collision.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8—Jumping from the automobile in which he was riding when he saw a collision with another machine was imminent, George N. Jones, 71 years old, [illegible], landed directly in the path of the other machine early yesterday morning at Parkside and Bryn Mawr avenues, near Fifty-second street, and was injured so badly that he died a few hours later in the Women's Homeopathic Hospital.

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PRAISE FOR LATE COMMANDER

American Society of Naval Engineers Commends Former Alexandrian.

In a recent issue of the journal of the American Society of Naval Engineers is published the following article in reference to the late Commander F. C. Bieg, U. S. N., who was a former resident of this city and whose widow was Miss Fannie French, daughter of the late Dr. D. M. French:

"In reviewing, however briefly, the organization and work of the Society, special mention should be made of the interest manifested and the work accomplished by the late Commander Frederic C. Bieg, U. S. N. Probably no commissioned officer of the old Engineer Corps of the Navy, except ex-Engineer-in-Chief B. R. Isherwood, did more in promoting original naval engineering research work and investigation than was done by Commander Bieg. He was among the first to advocate the establishment of an advanced course of training for junior engineering officers. The suggestion to build and equip a naval engineering laboratory originated with this officer. As regards the value and importance of collating the logs and records of the Bureau, he probably did as much if not more than any other engineer officer to analyze and index the important engineering data contained within these reports and records. The far-reaching influence of the work done by this modest, conscientious and able officer is best appreciated by those who knew of the extent and character of the work done by him, since the retiring nature of the man caused him to subordinate himself at all times in the accomplishment of important purposes. Another important service rendered by this officer was due to his tact, zeal and success in inducing the associates of the Society to interest themselves in the work and purpose of the organization."

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RAW BRITISH TROOPS

Prisoners Taken by Germans in France Say They Were Forced Into Army.

Berlin, Oct. 8—"Reports from the western battle front, state that British soldiers who were taken prisoners were tired looking, undisciplined and complained of the inefficiency of their officers. Many of them declared they had been forced to enter the army because they were unemployed, while others were told that they would lose their jobs if they did not enlist.

They said they had only been drilled in marching before leaving Great Britain, and that some of them had fired their first shots after going into the trenches, their drilling having been conducted with wooden rifles.

All of them declared that they knew nothing of the impending battle until its beginning. Their losses had been fearful, they said, the whole front of their army having been broken up by the German machine guns.

The only prisoners taken who made a good impression upon their captors were the noncommissioned officers."

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AT THE OPERA HOUUSE

Good Vaudeville Bill is Presented This Week-end.

The management of the Opera House is to be commended on obtaining the exceptional programe, which they are giving their patrons this week. Clark and Roberts, made a great hit last evening with their musical number, the former playing all the popular songs as well as select music on his immense harp, accompanied by Miss Roberts one of the most popular alto singers in vaudeville, the applause they received showed how the people of Alexandria, appreciate good talent.

Arto and Grace were equally good in their singing and dancing act. This is not their first time here, and undoubtedly they have lots of friends who will be only too glad to learn that they are appearing at the Opera House, and that they have the opportunity to see them again.

Billy Baird who has recently returned from Europe where he served several months in the army, is doing his black face comedian and monalogue act which he has been doing since eleven years of age. Mr. Baird, didn't have any time for rehearsal while at the front but he has learned two new ones for each one he forgot.

Ajax, with his Punch and Judy show amused both old and young, particularly delighting the children. To use his own expression "A trunk full of dolls and every one an actor."

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BRITISH SHIP FIRED ON

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 8—The British freight steamer San Melito arrived here yesterday from Tuxpam, Mexico, and reported that she had been attacked at sea by an unkonwn vessel.

The captain of the San Melito reported that soon after leaving Tuxpam his vessel was attacked in the night, and that eight projectiles exploded against her side. One sailor was killed and six were wounded. The vessel was damaged but managed to escape.

Since the internment of the last of the German auxiliary cruisers at Newport News there have been no reports indicating the presence of German warships in the Atlantic.

New York, Oct. 8—The report from Rio de Janeiro that the British freighter San Melito had been fired on shortly after leaving Tuxpam, Mexico, was regarded in maritime circles as being similar to incidents which have been reported by recent arrivals here from Mexican ports.

Previous reports stated that numerous oil-carrying vessels had been fired on in the vicinity of Tuxpam and Tampico by small craft which were armed by various Mexican factions. It is believed here that San Melito was fired on by one of these vessels. The one casualty on the San Melito is thefirst reported in connection with firing incident.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF

CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1914, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 46, Article IV, of the Constitution.

Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; but with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates, and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than ninety days, except that with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place, not for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of Article IV of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

1. Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-division (b and c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or established a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues or revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been:

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read by title on three different calendar days in each house and read at length at least once in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division "d" of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions "d" and "c" of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house, taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal; and provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues, or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues, or revives a tax, shall be passed, except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing, or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1914, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

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